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ADMINISTRATOR SCOTT PRUITT

Des Moines, IA

Friday, December 1st, 2017

(Des Moines, Iowa) Staff: Lincoln, Tate, Kelsi, Jahan, Ken, Stephen

Advance: Millan Temperature: 46

Dress Code: Business for first meeting. Business casual for farm events.

6:05AM	Depart hotel for KCCI – TV
	Staff: Lincoln and Jahan
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6:20AM –	Live Interview on KCCI-TV
6:30AM	Topic: Visit to Iowa, EPA accomplishments and RFS
	Address: 888 9th Street, Des Moines, Iowa
6:30AM	POC: Dave Busiek – dbusiek@hearst.com
0:30AM	Depart for Scenic Route Coffee Staff: Lincoln and Jahan
	9 miles
7:00AM -	
7:15AM	On-the-Record Interview with Lee Newspapers
7.13AW	Interviewer: Erin Murphey - Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy erin.murphey@lee.net Location Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy
	Staff: Lincoln, Jahan, Kelsi
7:15AM –	Staff Time
8:30AM	Location Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy
8:30AM –	Depart for the Sheraton West Des Moines
8:45AM	Location: 1800 50th St. West Des Moines, Iowa 50266
0.43AW	Staff: Lincoln and Tate
	Note: 9.2 miles
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	Staff movements: Kelsi, Jahan, and Ken will drive Millan's car to the Sheraton.
8:45AM	Arrive and proceed to Executive Boardroom
8:45AM –	Interview with Living with Energy in Iowa
8:55AM	Interviewer: Erin Campbell, Iowa Electric Co-ops
	Location: Executive Boardroom
	Staff: Lincoln, Jahan, and Kelsi
8:55AM –	Meet Iowa Statewide Board of Directors
9:10AM	Location: Executive Boardroom
	Note: quick hello and phot op
	Current Board Members:
	President – Steve Seidl (Farmer, Raccoon Valley REC)
	Vice President – Don Shonka (Farmer, East-Central Iowa REC)
	Secretary/Treasurer - Larry White (Farmer, Access Energy REC)
	Assistant Secretary/Treasurer - Roger Solomonson (Farmer, Heartland Power REC)

	Director – Marion Denger (Farmer, Prairie Energy REC) *NRECA Board Member from Iowa*
	Director – Neal Heldt (Farmer, Iowa Lakes REC)
	Director – Darrell Jensen (Farmer, Farmers Electric REC)
	Manager's Board Representative - Carmen Hosack (General Manager, Nishnabotna REC)
	Director-elect – Gordon Greimann (Farmer, Franklin REC)
9:10AM	Proceed to Marion Room Note: will walk over to backstage with Chuck and Jim Guilliford
9:15AM	Speaking Engagement Iowa Annual Meeting
-10:00AM	Room: Marion Room
	Attendees: 500
	Introduced by: Jim Guilliford
	Format: Fireside with Chuck Soderberg
	Press: Closed
	Run of Show:
	9:15AM: Walk via back of house to ballroom
	9:20AM: Jim Guilliford offers brief remarks then introduces Chuck and
	Admin. Pruitt
	9:20AM: Discussion with Chuck Soderberg
	10:00AM: Wrap up discussion
10:10AM	10:10AM: Depart Sheraton Depart for Feed Yard
10,10AWI	Location: 19568 620 th Ave. Nevada, Iowa 50201
	Staff: Lincoln and Tate
	Note: 49.5miles
	Staff Movements: Kelsi and Stephen will travel to townhall location at 10AM.
	Ken and Jahan will also leave at 10AM in Millan's car to the townhall location.
10:45AM	Call: Missouri Nutrient Rulemakings
	Number: Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy, Code: Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy
	Participants: Brittany Bolen, Lincoln Ferguson, Lee Forsgren, Sarah Greenwalt,
	Jeff Sands, Samantha Dravis, Troy Lyons
	Location: Hotel
10:55AM	Arrive at Feed Yard
11:30AM -	Lunch and Roundtable
1:00PM	Introduced by: Bill Couser
1,001.1	Press: Closed
	Attendees:
	Governor Kim Reynolds
	Bill Northey- Sec of Ag
	Mike Neig- Dept Sec of Ag
	Wendy Wintersteen - Pres. Iowa State Univ.
	Bill Couser
	Nancy Couser Tim Couser
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	Chuck Gipp- Director of IDNR
	Jeff Taylor- Chairman Lincolnway Energy-farmer
	David Tierney- Seed Industry
	Bradley Albin -Vice president REG
	Randolph Howard -President/CEO REG
	Howard Hill- Farmer- Pork producer, Past National Pork President
	Craig Hill- Farmer, Pres Farm Bureau Iowa
	Rich Schwark- Pres Absolute Energy
	Jim Christensen- Cattle Feeder, Farmer Northwest Iowa, Involved in Okoboji
	Lakes
	David Petty- farmer, cow calf producer and farmer
	Charlie Good- Owner operator of GOOD and QUICK convenience store (Blender
	Pumps)
	Eric Hakmiller- President Lincolnway Energy
	Jim Guliford- EPA Region 7 Administrator
	Jili Guillord- Li A Region / Administrator
	Note: Bill and Nancy Couser would like walk the Administrator, the Governor,
	and Ag Sec over to their livestock area for a quick 10 min explanation of
	operations before going across the road to the Town Hall meeting.
1:15PM –	Depart for Town Hall Meeting
1:20PM	Location: 20243 620 th Ave. Nevada, Iowa 50201
	Staff: Lincoln and Tate
	Note: Across the road
01:20PM -	Town Hall Meeting
02:30PM	Introduced by: Governor Kim Reynolds
02,001111	Format: Fireside chat with Bill Couser
	Press: Open
	Run of Show:
	- Will arrive and will be escorted to seat by FFA Students
	- Bill Northey introduces Gov. Reynolds
	- Gov. Reynolds introduces the Administrator
	- Fireside discussion with Bill Couser – 20/30 minutes
	- WILL STEP INTO CROWD TO TALK WITH GUESTS
	AFTER DISCUSSION
2:30PM -	Interview with Kevin Williamson, National Review
2:45PM	Location: Same as townhall but in room behind stage (Administrator's drop and
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	pick up location)
2.45 DM	Staff: Lincoln, Kelsi, Jahan
2:45PM –	OTR
4:15PM	Staff: Lincoln and Tate
	Staff movements: Ken, Kelsi, and Jahan will be in Millan's car. Stephen has his
	own car.
4:15PM	Depart for the Airport
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	Note: 45.4miles
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	Staff Movements: Kelsi, Jahan, Lincoln and Tate will be with Millan and Stephen
04:30PM	Arrive airport
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BIOS:

Chuck Soderberg - Executive VP, Iowa Electric Cooperative

Chuck Soderberg of Le Mars has been selected as the new executive vice president for the Iowa Association of Electric Cooperatives (IAEC); he started Sept. 8. Current IAEC executive vice president Brian Kading retired earlier this month, after a 33-year career at the organization.

Soderberg has been employed by Northwest Iowa Power Cooperative (NIPCO) for the past 36 years, where he served as the vice president of Planning and Legislative Services since 2002. He comes to IAEC with a vast array of skills and experience in leadership, management, member service, program development and communications.

Many know Soderberg from his time in the Iowa House, where he represented the 5th District since 2005. He sat on several committees, including the Commerce and Environmental Protection Committees, and he served as the chair of the Appropriations Committee. Prior to being elected to the House, Soderberg served on the Le Mars City Council from 1998-2004. He also served on several boards, including the Siouxland Interstate Metropolitan Planning Council, Le Mars Business Initiative Corporation and the Le Mars Chamber of Commerce.